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uvisreg.utah.gov/vtsreg/public/Register

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CLAIMS ASSISTANCE CALENDAR

veterans.utah.gov/outreach-calendar

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

veterans.utah.gov/events-calendar



COORDINATION OF VETERANS SERVICES

veterans.utah.gov/coordination-ofveteran-services

Upcoming Events — veterans.utah.gov/events-calendar

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday- 6 September • 1730 St. George Veterans Legal Clinic • CBOC 230 No. 1680 East, Bldg. N St. George, UT

Wednesday- 6 September • 1730 - 1930
Parenting with love and logic
• Vet Center, 22 W Fireclay Ave. #100
Murray, UT

Wednesday- 6 September • 1800 - 2000 Vietnam War Screening • Cox Performing Arts Center, Dixie State College, St. George, UT

Saturday- 9 September • 0800 - 2230 Outreach at the State Fair • UT State Fairpark -155 N 1000 W, Salt Lake

City, UT
Sunday- 10 September • 0800 - 1800

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• NAC Complex

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Monday to Sunday- 11- 17 September Fleet Week

Monday- 11 September • All Day
UT State Fair, Veterans Free Entry Day
• UT State Fairpark -155 N 1000 W, Salt Lake
City, UT

Monday- 11 September • All Day Sothern Utah Veterans Home Patriot Day Tuesday- 12 September • All Day VA Mental Health Summit

Wednesday- 13 September • All Day Veterans Education Summit • SULL

Saturday - 16 September • 0800 - 1500 Governor's Day • Camp Williams

Tuesday- 19 September • 1100 - 1300 Annual Senior NCO Leadership Conf.

Rowland Wright Airbase

Friday- 22 September · All Day VVA Guard a Heart Event • SUVH

Friday- 22 September • 0800 - 1400 Retiree Appreciation Day • Hill Air Force Base

OCTOBER

Wednesday- October • 1730 St. George Veterans Legal Clinic • CBOC 230 No. 1680 East, Bldg. N St. George, UT

Saturday- 14 October • All Day George E Wahlen Memorial Run & Chili Cookoff • Ogden Veterans Home - 1102 N. 1200 W. Ogden, UT

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NOVEMBER

Wednesday- 1 November • 1730
St. George Veterans Legal Clinic
• CBOC 230 No. 1680 East, Bldg. N St. George, UT
Thursday- 02 November • 1700 - 2030
Stop Fraud Utah
• Dixie Center St. George, UT

Saturday- 04 November • TBD SUVH Golf Scramble • Sun River St. George, UT

Tuesday- 07 November • 1100 - 1500 Hiring Utah's Heroes • South Towne Expo, Sandy, UT

Friday- 10 November • TBD U of U Veterans Concert • Huntsman Center, SLC, UT

Saturday- 11 November • 0900 Layton Veteran's Day Parade • Layton, UT

Saturday- 11 November • 0900 Stan Snow 5k Fun Run • SUVH



DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Berni Davis, State Approving Agency Director
Utah Department of Veterans & Military Affairs

This is an exciting time for education, this fall marks the dawning of a new era of GI Bill ® benefits. Early in August, a major revision of the GI Bill swept through Congress, passing both the House and the Senate with an incredible majority vote.

Among many other items, the Harry W Colmery Veterans Education Assistance Act of 2017, named for the principal architect of the original GI Bill, grants entitlement at the 100% level to Purple Heart receipts, changes the way monthly housing allowance will be calculated, improves the reimbursement for licensing and nationals tests, extends the Yellow Ribbon program to recipients of the Fry Scholarship and creates additional months of entitlement for students in STEM programs.

The reforms in this bill are the first major revisions since 2011 and has been dubbed "The Forever GI Bill" because it eliminates the 15 year expiration date on the benefit. In addition, this bill expands benefits to Reserve Component Service Members by recognizing previously unrecognized types of Active Duty and increases the minimum eligibility tiers.

In our era of great scrutiny on Private- for- Profit Institutions of Higher Learning, these revisions also include the restoration of entitlement for students who were impacted by schools closing midterm.

It is wonderful that a very necessary and worthwhile bill like this passed the House of Representatives unanimously. It shows the continuous support for Veterans in pursuit of education. This edition of the Veterans Voice is dedicated to assisting Utah's Veterans in knowing the resources available to you in that pursuit. I am honored that Executive Director Harter asked me to write this message. Utah has approximately 5800 individuals utilizing the VA Educational benefits they earned through their service, or the service of their family members. Attending at over 100 institutions, training establishments and vocational programs.

Dixie State University

Utah State University



Dixie State University (DSU) has done a fantastic job over the past year to bring attention to the student Veterans. On November 11th 2016, the Dixie State Veterans Club with the help of the St. George community erected the Veterans Memorial on the North Encampment Mall Field, in between the Gardner Center and the McDonald Building. The Memorial (dedicated to all Veterans past, present, and future) stands for all to see. The dedication was attended by over two hundred members of the community and faculty to include the President and administrators of the school.

DSU was also the recipient of a tutoring grant which has assisted veterans with mathematics and other courses that seem to be a typical challenge for transitioning students from military life. Students that have used this benefit have experience great success in passing the courses they have received assistance for and our veterans support staff will continue to administer this benefit for our veteran students.

Just one week ago, the Dixie State University

Veterans Success Center was opened to the student body. Within the new Success Center DSU provided a private tutoring room, a lounge, and an office for the Veterans Coordinator. The faculty and staff of the University as well as the VA work study students have furnished the lounge with a comfortable seating, a smart T.V., a refrigerator, and a Keurig. There are three workstations, one for the work studies and two for students. These workstations include free printing for Veterans. DSU has created a place for veterans to connect, receive benefit support, and a place for decompression during the stress of school and transition from military to school life.

While DSU is a small campus, the faculty and administration are supportive of Veterans of all types, and of the dreams and desires of those students.



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Utah State University has committed to serving veterans, service members, and their dependents in achieving their educational and career goals. As part of this commitment, the University is in the process of moving the Veterans Resource Office from their current 600 sq. ft. location to a center of over 2000 sq. ft. This move will create a truly one-stop shop to assist students in navigating the USU system. With assistance from the state and university, the VRO has developed a comprehensive tutoring program to ensure we remove all academic barriers possible.

The new resource center will have space for group and private study sessions and private meeting space for individuals to meet with representatives from Department of Workforce, VA Vocational Rehabilitation, and Utah Department of Military and Veterans Affairs on the Logan campus.

Understanding that Utah State is the state land grant institution serving all 29 Utah counties, the Veterans Resource Office is working with our regional campus locations to provide services to our rural veterans. Beginning with

veteran's point of contacts at the Uintah Basin, Moab, Tooele, Salt Lake, Eastern, Price, Brigham City campus locations our goal is to provide comprehensive resources to all of the students we serve. USU has also developed a veterans competency program for faculty and staff modeled after Virginia Commonwealth University's Green Zone program, called "Got Your 6", this program gives participants tools to help better serve and understand veterans/service members. Participants receive a patch at the end of the course so that students know they have completed the course and are committed to their success.



The University of Utah Veterans Support Center (VSC) serves over 1,100 former and current service members, their spouses, and dependents. The U has student veterans from every branch of the military, and "U Vets" can be found in every undergraduate and graduate college. Manned by VSC, Registrar, Veterans Affairs, peer mentoring, and career coaching personnel, the center provides a one-stop shop for student veterans to find services, support, advocacy, and camaraderie. Through the VSC, student veterans can access comprehensive support and services, including VA educational benefit processing, VA counseling and benefits advising, free refreshments and SWAG, a computer lab with free printing, veteran lounge, VA work-study employment, student veteran yoga, and the Student Veterans at Utah association.

The U also hosts the National Center for Veterans Studies, which is a national leader in developing and implementing highly effective treatments for many issues affecting the well-being of veterans, service members, and their families, including treatment for PTSD, effects of TBI, and moral injury. The U is also fortunate to be located across the street from a VA regional office and medical center and a state VA office.

The University of Utah is the state's flagship university. It is consistently ranked among the top 100 universities in the world and is one of only 108 top tier research universities in the U.S. The U offers more than 100 undergraduate and graduate degree programs and provides some of the most extensive academic and support resources available. In 2015, USA Today ranked the U as the nation's ninth most military-friendly university. The U is not just a topnotch school—it's a topnotch school for veterans.

For more information, contact the University of Utah Veterans Support Center at (801) 587-7722 or vetcenter@ utah.edu or visit the VSC website at veteranscenter. utah.edu.



Salt Lake Community College

Salt Lake Community College (SLCC) Veteran Service Center has opened a 'new-door'. This new door leads to the new Disability Resource office from SLCC's Veterans Center.

This 'easy' access will greatly assist students in taking added advantage of the DRC and their Accessibility Advisor. Having this immediate access will greatly enhance the retention and graduation of those students needing guidance and assistance.

If the student has to leave the Veterans Service Center and go to another area on campus to see the Accessibility Advisor, that student will have a greater chance of being discouraged of actually visiting with an Accessibility Advisor.

The Accessibility Advisor supports SLCC Student Veterans in the classroom by providing accessibility through classroom accommodations.

Accommodations are considered on a case-by-case basis for:

- Testing accommodations (i.e. additional testing time, alternate test environment)
- Note-taking accommodations

- Preferential seating
- Advocacy
- Assistive technology software and training
- Equipment checkout (i.e. recorders, smartpens, etc)
- Referrals
- Alternative text
- Early registration
- Accommodating furniture

Salt Lake Community College Veteran Service Center and Disability Resource Center are excited to support and assist each Veteran student to stay in school, and assist with any need to be successful both in completion of each class and experience graduation.



LIVU SUCCESS CENTER

"Our goal is to provide personalized care to help you be successful in your college experience and beyond. The UVU Veteran Success Center also serves as a gathering place for our veterans and their families. Our Day Room and Study Area both serve as a place for veterans to gather and socialize, study and prepare for class. When you're here, you're with family." -- Sheldon Holgreen, Director of Veteran Success Center.

Answering the Call to action. From the spine of the world to the spine of the books, our veterans never turn away from a call to arms. Student Veterans have shown to be the biggest supporters to fellow Student Veterans and Dependents. With both a Student Veterans Club and Military Dependents Club on campus, a call has rang out to further support our student veterans, military service members, and military dependents.

The Veteran Success Center was able to collaborate with Mercedes-Benz of Lindon, to secure new scholarships through the Putts for Patriots Golf Tournament. Putts for Patriots was held on May 25th, 2017 at Sleepy Ridge

Golf Course in Provo, UT. The event turned out well over 100 players, donors, volunteers, and community supporters during this event. As a result of this successful event, we secured a new Veteran Scholarship program. The goal of this program is to provide more support to a growing population of 1,600 student veterans, military service members, and their dependents.

This year we were able to award 10 scholarships to student veterans, military service members, and military dependents. This is all due to the large support and efforts from our local community and donors, and the tireless efforts of the staff at the Veteran Success Center

Ogden-Weber Technical College (OWTC) has offered technical education in high-demand employment fields for over 40 years. The OWTC offers programs in several sectors including: business, construction, health, information technology, manufacturing, and service professions.

OWTC's open enrollment system allows students to get started in programs at several points throughout the year, with most programs starting monthly. The OWTC Veterans Service Center (VSC) opened in July, 2013 and since opening has provided information, resources, and support to hundreds of veterans and their dependents, helping them complete their educational goals and find employment opportunities after graduating. The VSC is located on main campus in the Student Services building, and is open 5 days a week (Monday - Friday). All student veterans, current military members, and their dependents can utilize the center and access services during the hours of operation (8:30-5:00).

The VSC provides a central location for

individuals with ties to the military to network with one another, access resources and services designed specifically for them, or to relax between classes. The VSC has also developed close relationships with several VA programs that provide resources and outreach directly to student veterans from the VSC on campus. All students that attend OWTC can expect to receive professional and compassionate support while pursuing their educational goals.

• The OWTC veteran services staff includes:

OGDEN-WEBER TECH COLLEGE

- Catalina Prado, School Certifying Official (SCO)
- Jan Burton, Financial Aid Manager
- Scott Teuscher, Veteran Services Coordinator and Counselor

For additional information or questions please contact us at (801) 627-8462 or teusches@owatc.edu.

Westminster & Davis Tech
SUU & Weber State



WESTMINSTER COLLEGE

Westminster College continues to grow a strong veterans' community on campus.

The Center for Veteran and Military Services is a focal point for students to meet, mingle, study, and build a sense of community with peers. Community resources have also been made available at the veteran's center. Students can meet with a VA VITAL peer mentor, VITAL counselor, Veterans Upward Bound Tutor, VSO, and various other community partners.

In under two years, the Westminster Military Association (WMA) has gradually turned into a robust student club, which has more than 70 club members currently. The WMA recognized more than 30 student veterans for academic excellence and made the Dean's List with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Westminster was privileged to have TRADOC Commander, General David G. Perkins visit campus as part of a lecture series organized by the Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy. General Perkins spoke about recruiting and training soldiers as well as building an adaptive Army.

In the next year, Westminster plans to create student programming specifically catered for women veterans and expand resources for disabled veterans.



With the beginning of the new fiscal year (July 1st), as with all of the Utah technical colleges, Davis Tech has changed its name. We will continue to provide high quality training to veterans here in Utah, with a few changes.

In addition to the name change we have also had some program changes related names and new programs. The following are anticipated changes for the new fiscal year moving forward:

New Programs

- Hair Designer
- Phlebotomy
- Radiology Practical Technician
- Robotics
- Software Development

Program Name Changes

- Cyber Security (formerly Information Technology)
- Business Administrative Services (formerly business Technology)
- Plastic Injection Molding (formerly Plastic Injection Molding Technology)



SOUTHERN UTAH UNIVERSITY'S VETERANS RESOURCE AND SUPPORT CENTER

The SUU Veterans Center is the university's one-stop-shop for all military-connected students attending SUU. Military-connected students include military veterans, activeduty military personnel, reservist, guard, and dependents who may be utilizing educational benefits of a member of the armed forces. The Veterans Center also extends its university-based programs to veterans and dependents that are not eligible for educational benefits but identify as a veteran or dependent.

SUU offers an array of programs to help support its veterans as they pursue their education and the achievement of skills needed to lead productive and meaninaful lives. Each new student receives a one-year custom-built transition plan that includes assistances in establishing all aspects of veteran related programs. In addition to community and university programs, the Veterans Center offers a militaryconnected orientation, evaluation for credit from military training and experience, first-year mentorship program, processing of all military and veterans related education programs, SUU Knowledge Locker Program "book loan," veterans tutoring program, and a university success course.



WEBER STATE UNIVERSITY WSU

Weber State University (WSU) provides a full range of services for Veterans and their family members at both Ogden and Davis Campuses. Services include processing of Educational Benefits, Mentoring, and referral services to Veterans Upward Bound, Career and VITAL and Counseling and Psychological Services.

Ogden Campus 1352 Village Dr DEPT 4701 Davis Campus Bldg D2, Room 255 801-395-3565 M & Th: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Davis Campus
Bldg D2, Room 255
801-395-3565
M & Th: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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Utah's eight technical colleges are ideally situated to provide training and educational opportunities for veterans.

Effective 1 July 2017, the "applied technology colleges" (ATCs) were renamed "technical colleges" under Utah's Senate Bill 238. The tech colleges are part of the Utah System of Technical Colleges (formerly the Utah College of Applied Technology, or UCAT).

The technical colleges provide certificate programs in a wide range of occupations and industry sectors. Programs are employer-driven and designed to lead directly into employment. Local employers are actively engaged in advising and assisting with the curriculum, work-based experiences, and employment.

Many programs take less than a year to complete. Some programs stack into more advanced programs at degree-granting colleges and universities. Tuition is low, and GI Bill benefits apply to many of the programs. Training is generally hands-on and competency-based, meaning that the student progresses through the coursework

as they master the competencies. Previous military or other training and experience can be evaluated and applied toward completion of relevant competencies.

Contact your local college for available programs and veterans benefits.

- Bridgerland Technical College (Logan, Brigham City): btech.edu, 435-753-6780
- Davis Technical College (Kaysville): davistech.edu, 801-593-2500
- Dixie Technical College (St. George): dxatc.edu, 435-674-8400
- Mountainland Technical College (Lehi, Orem, Spanish Fork): mlatc.edu, 801-753-6282
- Ogden-Weber Technical College (Ogden): owatc.edu, 801-627-8300
- Southwest Technical College (Cedar City, Kanab): stech.edu, 435-586-2899
- Tooele Technical College (Tooele): tooeletech.edu, 435-248-1800
- Uintah Basin Technical College (Roosevelt, Vernal): ubtech.edu, 435-722-6900



West Point cadets share Veteran legacies through national cemetery internships

The National Cemetery Administration welcomed two cadets from the United States Military Academy at West Point, this summer who will assist cemetery directors in service and outreach programs that connect Veteran legacy in the cemeteries with the community.

To read the full article visit: http://www.blogs.va.gov/VAntage/40273/west-point-cadets-share-veteran-legacies-through-national-cemetery-internships/

Veterans legacy: Vietnam Vet honors two soldiers who fell in Phu Loi Provence

Peter Brusyo Jr. left behind his story of service in Vietnam to honor two fellow soldiers killed in action. Read more about Army Sgt. Brusyo's story, in his own words.

To read more go to: http://www.blogs.va.gov/VAntage/40242/veterans-legacy-vietnam-vet-honors-two-soldiers-who-fell-in-phu-loi-provence/



Service dog leads Navy Veteran to independence

Thanks to her service dog, Christina Collins can live alone, go to a grocery store within walking distance and navigate airports. Since being paired together three years ago, Collins and Justice have traveled the world including more than 30 flights, a cruise and at least seven countries.

To read more go to: http://www.blogs.va.gov/VAntage/40180/service-dog-leads-na-vy-veteran-independence/

Annual event raises donations worth \$290,000 for homeless Veterans

Across the country, more than 23,000 VA employees, Veterans and community members walked to promote healthy lifestyles and to help homeless Veterans as part of the 2017 VA 2K Walk & Roll event.

To read more go to: http://www.blogs.va.gov/VAntage/40137/annual-event-raises-donations-worth-290000-homeless-veterans/



Army Reserves

Hill Air Force Base



ACES

Thinking about going back to school to pursue a degree, but not sure what to do or if you can afford it? Are you currently enrolled in classes using military benefits and have questions? At the Army Reserve Education Office, we can help! The Education Office is located at Fort. Douglas, SLC, UT, in the north-west section of building 102 on Soldiers Circle. We provide service to Army Reserve Soldiers in Utah, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, and Colorado. We are available to assist Soldiers with their Tuition Assistance needs and utilization in GoArmyEd. For anyone unsure on which school to attend, we offer loads of material and information from a variety of colleges and universities.

Not only do we do individualized support, we also organize and deliver education briefings during military events, including unit Family Support Day activities, where both Soldiers and spouses can learn more about education benefits, additional education resources, and the opportunity to ask our Education Advisors more specific questions regarding their own, individual situations.

The Education Office now has a test site on post. Heath Southworth is our Testing Examiner, and is authorized to administer the following tests: APT Tests- Armed Forces Classification Test (AFCT- to improve your ASVAB score), Selection Instrument for Flight Instruction Exam (SIFT), the Defense Language Aptitude Battery (DLAB) and individual language tests. He can also perform as an administrator for Proxy exams, and the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE).

We are a DANTES Test Site, but Heath is currently working on obtaining the rights to administer DANTES tests again. In the meantime, we do provide study materials in our office for the ACT and SAT. Soldiers can also visit these sites for more study help:

ACT prep: http://www.actstudent.org/testprep/

SAT prep: https://collegereadiness. collegeboard.org/sat/practice/full-lengthpractice-tests

Civilians and military dependents are not eligible for DANTES-funded ACTs and SATs.

If you are interested in taking one of these exams, or the AFCT to improve your ASVAB score, please contact Heath Southworth to schedule an appointment, or come by the office in Building 102, Room 105. You may also contact Shayne Bell, TCO, at 801-656-4144.

Please feel free to contact us-

Staci Carr, Education Service Advisor and OSC staci.n.carr.ctr@mail.mil (801) 656-4283

Scott Amott, Education Service Advisor scott.r.amott.ctr@mail.mil (801) 656-4226

Heath Southworth, Test Examiner & Education Service Advisor heath.b.southworth.ctr@mail.mil (801) 656-4289 ■



Veterans with access to Hill Air Force Base are eligible to take advantage of the educational services provided on the base with the proper identification.

Team Hill Veteran Administration (VA) Representatives: There are three VA Representatives available on Team Hill that will guide veterans toward the process of using educational benefits in pursuit of higher education. VA Reps are located at the Airman and Family Readiness Center, building 150, available Monday through Friday from 0730 to 1640, no appointment is necessary. VA Reps contact number is 801-775-3580. Helpful Link: http://benefits.va.gov/gibill/.

National Test Center: On-base, Park University is the National Test Center for college testing through the Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES) for College Level Exam Program (CLEP) or Prometric DANTES Subject Standardized Tests (DSST). Suggest the base library for study material. Contact number for testing is 801-777-9992. Helpful Resource links for Learning/Preparation:

http://www.dantes.doded.mil/

http://getcollegecredit.com/
http://nelnetsolutions.com/
http://www.petersonsdodlibrary.com/
https://www.khanacademy.org/
http://military.tutor.com/home
https://www.usafservices.com/
AirForceLibraries.aspx
Air Force Portal - Library Resource tab

U.S. AIR FORCE

Team Hill Voluntary Education Counselors: Counselors are available to guide veterans on opportunities available in pursuing education degrees, certificates, or helping in the decision in the method of study; online institutions, classroom facilitation, or blended learning. Team Hill Education Office is located in building 180, room 119, contact number is 801-777-4411.

<u>Team Hill Colleges on Base:</u> College classes are taught on base for Associate, Bachelor, and Master Degrees. For more information on available programs, please contact the schools listed.

- Park University, 801-777-9992
- Webster University, 801-779-2061
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, 801-777-0952 ►



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DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES

The ACE Outreach Program was created to assist Utah Veterans, actively drilling members of the Guard and Reserve, members of the Active Components currently stationed in Utah and the Spouses of the aforementioned in overcoming barriers to securing employment or better employment. To qualify for participation in the ACE Outreach Program an individual must be a Utah Resident and have a minimum of one day of Honorable Service in a Branch of the U.S. Armed Forces. This service must be verified by a member 2 or 4 copy of the Service Members most recent DD 214.

The ACE Outreach Program can assist with:

- Identifying and translating military skills and training to civilian careers
- Funding short-term training that leads to a license or certificate
- Connecting to Programs and Services administered by the Department of Workforce Services
- Improving job search techniques, resume writing, work readiness and interviewing skills

Obtaining your DD 214 and other military records

To find out more about the ACE Outreach Program, to contact an ACE Outreach Specialist, or to connect with other services that the Department of Workforce Services offers it's Veteran Customers, please follow the link to the Veteran Employment Services Page at the Department of Workforce Services website:

https://jobs.utah.gov/jobseeker/veteran.html ▶







U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

VA Salt Lake City Health Care System

Providing Healthcare to over 57,000 Veterans

Who We Are...

The VA Salt Lake City Health Care System (VASLCHCS) is part of the Rocky Mountain Veterans Integrated Service Network (VISN 19). Our health care system consists of the George E. Wahlen Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Salt Lake City, Utah and nine community clinics across Utah, Idaho and Nevada spanning across 125,000 square miles. We provide healthcare to over 57,000 eligible Veterans across one of the largest geographical areas in VA.

The George E. Wahlen VA Medical Center is a 121-bed facility and serves as the anchor for the health care system. It is located on an 81-acre campus situated at the foot of the Wasatch Range. The medical center has an active academic affiliation with the University of Utah and a host of other academic institutions. A wide range of tertiary services are provided, including a regional heart transplant program operated in conjunction with the University of Utah.

Our Contributions to the Local Economy

Total Medical Care: \$384,095,269
Prosthetics: \$36,086,563
Hep C.: \$8,292,696
Specific: \$30,545,737
Rural Health: \$7,908,539

Total VA Community Care: \$116,032,434

Station NVCC: \$94,320,923

Choice: \$21,711,511

Total Facilities: \$30,490,019
Operations: \$26,128,652
Improvement Projects: \$276,4715
Specific purpose: \$1,547,511
Rural Health: \$0

Total Administrative: \$25,907,837
Operations: \$24,132,808
Specific Purpose: \$1,219,500
Rural Health: \$797,193

Total: \$556,525,559

The Veterans We Serve

Era	Enrolled
Active Duty	88
Korean	3,911
Non-Veteran	1,193
Other	167
Persian Gulf War	17,528
Post-Korean	2,385
Post-Vietnam	5,674
Pre-Korean	117
Unknown	44
Vietnam Era	24,250
World War I	3
World War II	1,860

Spotlight: Food Pantry



Successfully started an on-site food pantry at the VA Salt Lake City Health Care System.

We have improved the network of support services for food insecure veterans.

We have increased our community partnership.

Help to restore veteran trust, and receive positive feedback.



The Utah National Guard values the education of its members. In addition to federal education assistance programs like federal tuition assistance and the Veterans Affairs GI Bill Programs, the State of Utah offers two key programs administered through the Utah National Guard, the State Tuition Assistance Program and the State Tuition Waiver Scholarship. Soldiers and Airmen that qualify for these state programs may also qualify for GI Bill benefits through the VA.

Capt. Matt Hicken from the Utah Army National Guard said Soldiers that pursue a civilian education are valuable to his formations in part because there seems to be a correlation between civilian education and the way they organize and think about tasks. Capt. Hicken used multiple National Guard education benefits programs and received a Master's Degree in Human Resources Management with little out-of-pocket expenses.

Sgt. Mathew Johnson is in his last semester of his undergraduate program in Parks and Recreation at Utah State University and has used several different education benefits. Johnson has used all the programs available in one capacity or another including specific scholarships available to students who contract in the Reserve Officer Training Corps programs.

"There were benefits I didn't know about at

first, including resources to assist me through the entire process," said Johnson.

"If a Soldier takes advantage of all the education benefits eligible, they will get their college education with almost no out-of-pocket expense," said Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Col. Brent Baxter.

During Fiscal Year 2016, the Utah National Guard spent more than three million dollars in combined federal and state education assistance programs. These programs are highly effective and provide great opportunities for currently serving Utah National Guard Airmen and Soldier's to increase their civilian education for almost no cost. In addition to those currently serving many education benefits are also available for veterans. The Utah National Guard Education Services Office is eager to answer specific questions and to assist any service members with the education benefits that their dedicated service earned them.

Contact the Education Services Office for specific details on the services provided.

Phone: 801-432-4534

Email: ng.ut.utarng.list.education-office@mail.

MAJ Chris Kroeber
Utah National Guard
Education Services Officer



The Veteran's Business Resource Center has joined the Miller Business Resource Center (BRC) to ensure that veteran entrepreneurs or their family members have the best resources available to start or grow a business in Utah. The Veteran's BRC works closely with the Small Business Development Center (SBDC) to help serve the 17,000 veteran-owned business throughout the state.

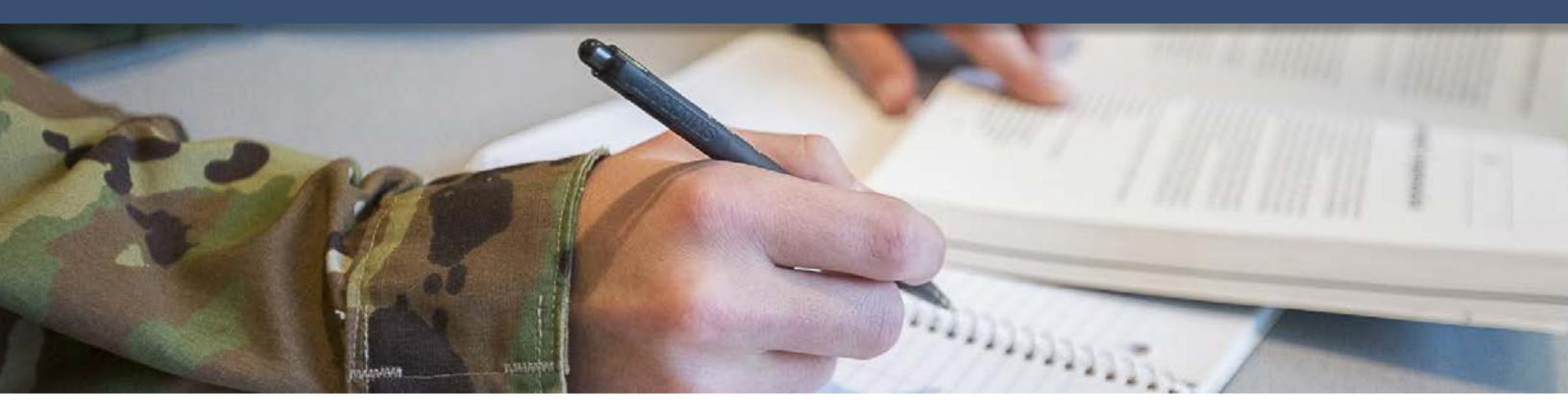
As veteran business owners are educated regarding available and upcoming resources, they increase their business acumen and their ability to succeed. One-on-one consulting as well as various beneficial classes are offered at the BRC and the SBDC. The Veteran's Business Resource Center mission is not only to assist business owners grow their companies but to be a statewide network of veteran entrepreneurs and experienced business leaders.

Jackie Hobson is the Veteran Business Advisor for the state and is enthused to work with the veteran population. She served in the Army Reserves and completed one fifteen-month tour in Iraq from 2003 to 2004. Jackie has owned multiple businesses including a retail clothing store that she built, franchised, and then sold in 2012. She earned her Master's

in Business Administration from Utah Valley University and has most recently been assisting business owners and entrepreneurs. She is excited to be joining the Miller Business Resource Center and the Small Business Development Center in Sandy to build the Veteran's Business Resource Center. The Veterans BRC will be working closely with all Small Business Development Centers throughout the state to serve Utah Veterans Business Owners.



The Forever GI Bill



THE HARRY W. COLMERY VETERANS EDUCATION ASSISTANCE ACT OF 2017. A SUMMARY OF THE FOREVER GI BILL ®

Here are a few of the more significant changes. This summary does not include all sections of this law. For more information please visit benefits.va.gov/GIBILL/ForeverGIBILL.asp

Reserve Component Eligibility

Sec 301. Adds time spent on Active Duty under orders authorized by section 1203 (h) of title 10 as qualifying time under the Post 9/11 GI Bill.

Sec 401. This section makes individuals eligible for Post-9/11 GI Bill benefits who have served and who will serve on 12304, 12304(a) and 12304(b) orders.

Sec 105. This section authorizes additional GI Bill funding for members of the National

Guard and Reserve. This section increases the amount of money/eligibility that individuals receive who serve at least 90 days but less than 6 months on active duty – it increases from 40% to 50% benefit payable. It also increases the amount of money/eligibility that individuals receive who serve at least 6 months but less than 12 months – it increases from 50% to 60% benefit payable, resulting in up to \$2300 more a year in tuition.

General Benefits

Sec 107. This section changes the way living stipend amounts are calculated, from the current rule that says the living stipend payment is based on where the school is located to instead having the payment calculated based on where the student attends the majority of their classes.

Sec 108. This section changes the current rules that require that a veteran be charged

a whole month of entitlement to pay for any national test (GMAT, GRE, SAT etc.) or test that is required for state licensing.

Sec 111. This section authorizes VA to provide a scholarship to provide additional GI Bill funds to help a student veteran complete a STEM degree.

Sec 112. This section eliminates the current 15 year time limitation to use the GI Bill for new members of the Armed Forces.

Sec 501. This section is the offset for the package, realigning the living stipend payments for using the Post 9/11 GI Bill (E-5 with dependents rate) to the same Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH) payments currently paid to active duty service members at the E-5 with dependents rate.

School Closures

Sec 109. This section restores GI Bill benefits

wasted at schools that unexpectedly closed, and continues educational assistance payments for veterans who were disapproved or who would not have the term during which their studies were interrupted.

Dependent Benefits

Sec 202-203. This section changes the number of months of entitlement for individuals who become eligible for the Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance Program (DEA) from 45 months to 36 months.

Sec 302. This section allows an eligible individual to use their GI Bill benefit for an accredited independent study program (including online courses) at an educational institution that is an area career and technical education school or a postsecondary vocational school providing post secondary level education.



GET UP AND MOVE!

That first step to a healthy life is often the toughest, and that can be especially true if you are battling a chronic health condition. Marine Veteran, Darrian Young, knows this all too well. Kidney disease and an eventual transplant put him on the sidelines for years.

Darrian's kidneys started to fail about six years ago. While he awaited a transplant, Darrian underwent dialysis for years. As he put it, "When you are on dialysis, dialysis is the most important thing. My focus was dialysis." After his transplant, his physical activity was limited even more as the fear that his body would reject his new kidney consumed his mind.

MOVE! helps him walk with ease

About a year after his transplant, he wanted to become more active and take off some of the weight he had put on while combatting kidney disease. That's when his doctors told him about the Department of Veterans Affairs MOVE! Weight Management Program.

Darrian researched the program and enrolled. MOVE! is VA's national weight management program. It focuses on health and wellness through healthy eating, physical activity, and behavior change. The 16-week program can help Veterans lose weight, keep it off, and improve their overall health.

VA Salt Lake City Health Care System(VASLCHCS) Dietitian, Sara Mickelson, says Darrian progressed a little bit every week, and started getting involved in his health.

"I did find it hard at first," says Darrian, "but Sara is really good at what she does, and that started motivating me more-- to be involved in my own "move!" And get more involved he did, he signed up for additional health and wellness classes like "Walk with Ease," and "Living Well with Chronic Conditions."

The classes are more than just about weight loss. "A lot of people have been taught to look at the scale—and that's kind of our measure of success." says Sara. "When there are just so many other measures of success. There is feeling better, having more energy, being able to walk more, breathe easier—it's not just the number on the scale that matters."

Darrian reiterated that thought throughout our chat. "My goal is just to live as healthy as I can with a chronic condition. Setting weight goals and other goals can set you up for disappointment and could discourage you into giving up. [I] take the attitude that everything I do physically and mentally is going to help me in the long run. Its more than weight and exercise."

The classes also got Darrian thinking a lot about his diet. "I am aware of what I am eating now. ... I eat more vegetables than ever before. We have also learned that the way we prepare it is important too, and portions, definitely portions."

Esprit de Corps

Move!, Move! Weight Maintenance, Walk with Ease, and Living Well with Chronic Conditions are all group classes. Veterans build a camaraderie with all the others in their classes, and that is crucial for their success.

"The group setting is our best success just because everybody can share their experiences, advice, motivate one another," says Sarah. "I think everybody gets really close and helps encourage each other. They've built friendships in this class—where they do things outside the class. Which I think is really cool."

"I just saw how everyone was able to open up from beginning to the end," reiterates Darrian. "You saw people change over those 16 weeks."

From Student to Mentor

The classes now give Darrien a sense of

purpose. "I use to say who wants to go to the hospital all the time—now I am that guy. I've never left here angry. I have always left here in a good mood."

A mood Darrian is now hoping to spread to other Veterans. He recently wrapped up training to facilitate "Living Well with Chronic Conditions," and will now lead the class. He is already looking forward to the new role.

"I am excited because I want to help my fellow Vets," exclaims Darrien. "A Vet may hear something I say that may help him or her in the long run."

A year later and 60 pounds lighter, Darrien is in this for the long run. He plans to retake many of the health and wellness classes and lead "Living Well with Chronic Conditions," because he learns something every class.

For more information on the Move! program, Walk with Ease, or Living Well with Chronic Conditions talk to your primary care provider, contact the Move! program at (801) 582-1565 ext. 2149 or toll-free (800) 613-4012 x2149, or visit https://www.saltlakecity.va.gov/MOVE.asp.

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WHAT ARE MY EDUCATION BENEFITS THROUGH THE VETERANS **ADMINISTRATION?**

Many benefits are available to advance the education and skills of Veterans and Service Members. Spouses and family members may also be eligible for education and training assistance. Currently, 25% of those benefiting from the VA's education programs are non-Veterans. Some might find they're eligible for more than one benefit, or that one program is more suited to certain education and training aoals than another.

Learn about these and other education and training programs administered by the VA or start your application now:

- The Post-9/11 GI Bill offers higher education and training benefits to Veterans, Service members, and their families who served after Sept. 10, 2001.
- The Montgomery GI Bill assists active duty and Reservists with the pursuit of higher education degrees, certificates, and other education and training.
- These other VA education and training programs offer various education and training benefits or increased benefits to certain Reservists and Veterans and their survivors and dependents:
- Reserve Educational Assistance Program
- Veterans Educational Assistance Program
- Survivors and Dependents Educational Assistance Program
- National Testing Program
- National Call to Service Program

To contact the Veterans Educational Benefits toll-free hotline at 888-442-4551 or VA Regional Processing Office U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs 125 South Main Street Muskogee, OK 74401.

HOW DO I CREATE MY EBENEFITS ACCOUNT?

You can register for an eBenefits account online using the eBenefits DS Logon Account Registration Wizard.

You will be walked through a series of questions to assist you in obtaining a Premium eBenefits Account, which gives you the highest level of access to eBenefits features.

To get a Premium eBenefits Account, you must verify your identity. Many people will be able to verify their identity online by answering a few security questions. Service members may verify their identity online by using their Common Access Card (CAC). Military retirees may verify their identity online using their Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) Logon. For those unable to verify their identity online, you will instantly receive a Basic Account. However, Veterans in receipt of VA benefits via direct deposit may have their identity verified by calling 1-800-827-1000 and selecting option 7.

My HealtheVet users with a DS Logon may use their secure identity to access eBenefits. Others may need to visit a VA Regional Office or TRICARE Service Center to have their identities verified in person.



Benefits & Resources





Camp Williams Medical Records:

801-878-5120

CHAMPVA 800-733-8387

Defense Finance & Accounting Services (DFAS):

888-332-7411 or 800-321-1080

eBenefits 800-983-0937

Fisher House Foundation https://www.fisherhouse.org/

http://www. fisherhousesaltlakecity. com/ 801-588-5900 or x5900

Homeless Veterans Fellowship, Ogden 801-392-7662

Medicare Customer Service: 800-633-4227

National League of POW/MIA
http://www.pow-

miafamilies.org/

North Star Substance Abuse Program

801-528-1565 Ext. 1840/5405

Office Personnel Management (OPM): 202-606-1800

Operation Home Front Post 9/11 Financial Assistance www. operationhomefront.org 888-305-1486 **VA Outpatient Clinics**

Nephi: 435-623-3129 Ogden: 801-479-4105 Orem: 801-235-0953 Roosevelt: 435-725-1050 St. George: 435-634-

West Valley: 801-417-5734

Salt Lake City VA Homeless Program 801-582-1565 ext. 2746

St. George Veterans Legal Clinic 435-634-7608

The Road Home 801-359-4142

Tri-Care West Region is United Health Care: 877-988-9378

UTA Customer Service: 801-743-3882

Utah DMV: 800-368-8824

Utah Honor Flight 435-272-0254 https://www. utahhonorflight.org/

Utah National Guard Military Records: 801-432-4558

Utah Veterans Legal Clinic

http://younglawyers. utahbar.org &

www.representveterans.

VA Caregiver Program post 9/11 Comprehensive Assistance for Family Caregivers

www.caregiver.va.gov/ support/support_ benefits.asp 855-260-3274 801-582-1565 ext. 6317

VA Debt Management: 800-827-0648

VA Dental Office: 801-584-1206

VA Emergency Care Authorization within 72 hours 888-795-0773

VA Enrollment 801-584-2585

VA Fiduciary Hub: 888-407-0144

VA GI Bill Education: 888-442-4551

VA Home Front 877-424-3838

VA Loan Office (in Colorado) 888-349-7541

VA One Choice Card: 866-606-8198

VA Patient Advocate office Direct Line: 801-582-1565 Ext. 1900

VA Payment Problems 888-795-0773

Valor House 801-582-1565 ext. 2703 or 800-613-4012 ext. 2703 Veteran, Spouse and Marriage Counseling Support Groups

Provo: 801-377-1117 Salt Lake: 801-266-1499 St. George: 435-673-4494

Veterans Upward Bound 801-626-7173

Veterans Vocational Rehab, Ogden 8001-625-5057 A Veterans Service Officer (VSO) is scheduled to be at the location on the day and time indicated. Be advised that unforeseen events may cause the VSO to cancel or change a visit. Please verify this by calling the Utah Department of Veterans and Military Affairs (UDVMA) at 801-326-2372 or by visiting the UDVMA website: http://veterans.utah.gov/outreach-calendar/

Beaver DWS

- Sept. 11, 0900 - 1000 - Oct. 16, 0900 - 1000 - Nov. 13, 0900 - 1000 - Dec. 11, 0900 - 1000

Cedar City

- Sept. 5, 0900 - 1200 - Sept. 19, 0900 - 1200 - Oct. 03, 0900 - 1400 - Oct. 17, 0900 - 1400 - Nov. 07, 0900 - 1400 - Nov. 21, 0900 - 1400 - Dec. 05, 0900 - 1400 - Dec. 19, 0900 - 1400

Clearfield

- Sept. 6, 1300 - 1530 - Sept. 20, 1300 - 1530 - Oct. 4, 1300 - 1530 - Oct. 18, 1300 - 1530 - Oct. 25, 1300 - 1530 - Nov. 15, 1300 - 1530 - Nov. 22, 1300 - 1530

Delta DWS

- Sept. 7, 1400 - 1600 - Sept. 21, 1400 - 1600 - Oct. 5, 1400 - 1600 - Oct. 19, 1400 - 1600 - Nov. 02, 1400 - 1600 - Nov. 16, 1400 - 1600

Farmington

- Sept. 6, 1130 - 1230 - Sept. 20, 1130 - 1230 - Oct. 4, 1130 - 1230 - Oct. 18, 1130 - 1230 - Oct. 25, 1130 - 1230 - Nov. 01, 1130 - 1230 - Nov. 15, 1130 - 1230 - Nov. 22, 1130 - 1230

Fillmore

- Sept. 7, 0900 - 1100 - Sept. 21, 0900 - 1100 - Oct. 5, 0900 - 1100 - Oct. 19, 0900 - 1100 - Nov. 02, 0900 - 1100 - Nov. 16, 0900 - 1100

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ADDRESSES:

- Beaver DWS (875 North Main St.)
- Cedar City (176 East 2nd North)
- · Clearfield (1290 East 1450 South)
- Delta DWS(44 South 350 East)
- Farmington (28 East State St.)
- Fillmore (75 West Center St.)

- Oct. 3, 0900 - 1500

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Kanab DWS
- Sept. 11, 1400 - 1500
- Oct 16, 1400 - 1500
- Nov. 13, 1400 - 1500
- Dec. 11, 1400 - 1500

- Sept. 6, 0900 - 1500

- Sept. 7, 0900 - 1500

- Sept. 19, 0900 - 1500

- Sept. 20, 0900 - 1500

Lehi DWS

- Sept. 19, - Oct. 24, - Nov. 28

Logan DWS

- Sept. 7, 0800 - 1000 - Sept. 21, 0800 - 1000 - Oct. 5, 0800 - 1000 - Oct. 19, 0800 - 1000 - Nov. 02, 0800 - 1000 - Nov. 16, 0800 - 1000

Manti DWS

- Sept. 6, 1230 - 1400 - Sept. 20, 1230 - 1400 - Oct. 4, 1230 - 1400 - Nov. 01, 0930 - 1130 - Nov. 15, 0930 - 1130 - Dec. 06, 0930 - 1130 - Dec. 20, 0930 - 1130

Oaden DWS

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- Sept. 20, 0800 - 1000
- Oct. 4, 0800 - 1000
- Oct. 18, 0800 - 1000
- Oct. 25, 0800 - 1000
- Nov. 01, 0800 - 1000
- Nov. 15, 0800 - 1000
- Nov. 22, 0800 - 1000

Ogden Veterans Home

- Sept. 07, 0800 - 1000 - Sept. 14, 0800 - 1000 - Sept. 21, 0800 - 1000 - Sept. 28, 0800 - 1000 - Oct. 05, 1100 - 1500 - Oct. 12, 0800 - 1600 - Oct. 19, 1100 - 1600 - Oct. 26, 0800 - 1600 - Nov. 02, 1100 - 1600 - Nov. 09, 0800 - 1600 - Nov. 16, 1100 - 1600 - Nov. 30, 0800 - 1600

• Hill AFB (RAO, Building 430)

Logan (180 North 100 West)

• Manti DWS (55 S. Main, ste 3)

• Oaden DWS (480 27th Street)

1200 West)

• Ogden Wahlen Veterans Home (1102 North

Kanab DWS (468 East 300 South)

Panguitch DWS

- Sept. 11, 1130 - 1230 - Oct. 16, 1130 - 1230 - Nov. 13, 1130 1230 - Dec. 11, 1130 - 1230

Payson -N/A

Price DWS
- Sept. 5, 1000 - 1500
- Sept 19, 1000 - 1500
- Oct 03, 1000 - 1500
- Oct. 17, 1000 - 1430
- Nov. 07, 1000 - 1500

- Nov. 21, 1000 - 1500 **Provo Courthouse**

- Oct. 19, 1000 - 1500

Provo DWS

- Sept. 14, 0830 - 1500 - Sept. 28, 0830 - 1500 - Oct. 12, 0830 - 1500 - Oct. 26, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 09, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 16, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 23, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 30, 0830 - 1500

Provo Vet Center

- Sept. 6, 0830 - 1500 - Sept. 13, 0830 - 1500 - Sept. 20, 0830 - 1500 - Sept. 27, 0830 - 1500 - Oct. 04, 0800 - 1500 - Oct. 11, 0800 - 1500 - Oct. 18, 0800 - 1500 - Oct. 25, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 01, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 08, 0830 - 1500 - Nov. 15, 0830 - 1500

Nov. 29, 0830 - 1500Richfield DWS

- Nov. 22, 0830 - 1500

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• Panguitch DWS (665 North Main St.)

• Price DWS (475 West Price River Dr.)

• Provo Courthouse (51 South University

Payson VH (1551 N. Main Street)

Provo Vet Center (1807 N. 1120 W.)

Provo DWS (1550 North 200 West)

Roosevelt DWS

- Sept. 12, 1000 - 1430 - Oct. 10, 1000 - 1430 - Nov. 14, 1000 - 1430

Salt Lake VA Medical Cntr

- Sept. 05, 1000 - 1200 - Sept. 12, 1000 - 1200 - Sept. 19, 1000 - 1200 - Sept. 26, 1000 - 1200 - Oct. 03, 1000 - 1200 - Oct. 10, 1000 - 1200 - Oct. 17, 1000 - 1200 - Oct. 24, 1000 - 1200 - Oct. 31, 1000 - 1200 - Nov. 07, 1000 - 1200 - Nov. 14, 1000 - 1200 - Nov. 21, 1000 - 1200 - Nov. 21, 1000 - 1200 - Nov. 28, 1000 - 1200

SLCC

- Sept. 27, 0930 - 1600 - Oct. 25, 0930 - 1600 - Nov. 29, 0930 - 1600

St. George

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- Sept. 13, 1330 - 1500
- Sept. 15, 1330 - 1500
- Oct. 11, 1330 - 1500
- Oct. 20, 1330 - 1500
- Nov. 08, 1330 - 1500

Uinta Basin

- Sept. 6, 0830 - 1700 - Sept. 7, 0830 - 1400

- Nov. 17, 1330 - 1500

USU

- Sept. 7, 1000 - 1500 - Oct. 5, 1000 - 1500 - Nov. 02, 1000 - 1500

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 Roosevelt DWS (140 West 425 South)

Salt Lake VA Medical Cntr. (500 Foothill Dr)

• SLCC (4600 South. Redwood Road)

• St. George (162 North 400 East)

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